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In re Application of: John Jianhua Chen, Lixiao Wang, Yiqun Wang, Albert
C.C. Chin
Application No.: 09/885568
Filed: June 20, 2001
For: Dimensionally Stable Balloons
Examiner: Sow Fun Hon
Group Art Unit: 1772

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Docket No.: S63.2B-9515-US01

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2004.

If an extension of time is required to make this response timely and no separate petition is enclosed, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely. In the event that this response requires the payment of government fees and payment is not enclosed, please charge Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

Please amend the application as follows: